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Re: K142783

Trade/Device Name: HEARTWAY Electrically Powered Wheelchair P27  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 890.3860  
Regulation Name: Powered Wheelchair  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: ITI  
Dated: May 12, 2015  
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Dear Jen Ke-Min,

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

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<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to

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Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K142783

Device Name

HEARTWAY Electrically Powered Wheelchair P27

Indications for Use (Describe)

The device is intended for medical purposes to provide mobility to persons restricted to a sitting position.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

☐ Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

☒ Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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## **510(k) SUMMARY**

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Date summary prepared: March 20, 2015

Device Name

Proprietary Name: HEARTWAY Electrically Powered Wheelchair, Model P27

Common or Usual Name: POWERED WHEELCHAIR

Classification Name: Powered Wheelchair, Class II,  
21 CFR 890.3860

Product Code: ITI

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Predicate device K070489

Heartway Power Tilt Seating System Power Chair, P16RT

### **Indications for Use:**

The device is intended for medical purposes to provide mobility to persons restricted to a sitting position.

### **Description of the device:**

The HEARTWAY Electrically Powered Wheelchair, Model P27 is battery powered and configured with 2 PU solid front castors and 2 pneumatic **rear drive wheels**, a width adjustable seat, a controller to control the lighting function and driving function, a main frame, a foot-rest, a pair of arm-rest, a back-rest, a seat cushion, a pair of skirts, a set of anti-tippers.



P27 powered wheelchair is **rear-wheel driven** and operated by two pneumatic rear wheels as the drive wheels, two solid front wheels as the front casters and uses upper joystick to control the driving direction, driving speed, and lighting function. Main frame carries a width adjustable seat system and a set of anti-tipper to prevent a patient from tipping their wheelchairs backward. Main frame is equipped with the front & rear independent suspensions to enhance the stability. A width-adjustable seat system carries a set of back rest system, a seat cushion, a pair of arm-rest, a pair of foot-rest, and a pair of skirts to provide seat posture positioning functions. P27 power wheelchair maximum weight capacity is 265 lbs (120kg). Maximum speed is 3.75 mph (6 kph). The device can be disassembled for transport and is provided with an external battery charger.

#### **Performance Testing:**

- 1) EMC Report ANSI / RESNA WC/Vol.2: 2009 (Section 21), CISPR 11: 2004+A2:2006, EN61000-4-2: 2008, IEC61000-4-3: 2006, IEC61000-4-8: 2001 (Electrically powered wheelchairs, scooters, and their chargers – requirements and test methods).
- 2) ISO 7176-1 Wheelchairs - Part 1: Determination of static stability, 1999.
- 3) ISO 7176-2 Wheelchairs - Part 2: Determination of dynamic stability of electric wheelchairs, 2001.
- 4) ISO 7176-3 Wheelchairs - Part 3: Determination of effectiveness of brakes, 2012.
- 5) ISO 7176-4 Wheelchairs - Part 4: Energy consumption of electric wheelchairs for determination of theoretical distance range, 2008.
- 6) ISO 7176-5 Wheelchairs - Part 5: Determination of overall dimensions, mass and manoeuvring space, 2008.
- 7) ISO 7176-6 Wheelchairs - Part 6: Determination of maximum speed, acceleration and deceleration of electric wheelchairs, 2001.
- 8) ISO 7176-7 Wheelchairs - Part 7: Determination of seating dimensions - Definitions and measuring method, 1998.
- 9) ISO 7176-8 Wheelchairs - Part 8: Static, impact and fatigue strength for manual wheelchairs, 1998.
- 10) ISO 7176-9 Wheelchairs - Part 9: Climatic tests for electric wheelchairs, 2009.
- 11) ISO 7176-10 Wheelchairs - Part 10: Determination of obstacle-climbing ability of electrically powered wheelchairs, 2008.
- 12) ISO 7176-11 Wheelchairs - Wheelchairs - Part 11: Test dummies, 2012.
- 13) ISO 7176-13 Wheelchairs - Part 13: Determination of coefficient of friction of test surfaces, 1989.



- 14) ISO 7176-14 Power and control system for electric wheelchairs, 2008.
- 15) ISO 7176-15 Wheelchairs - Part 15: Requirements for information disclosure, documentation and labelling, 1996.
- 16) ISO 7176-16 Requirements and test methods for resistance to ignition of upholstered parts, 2012.
- 17) ISO 7176-21 Requirements and test method electromagnetic compatibility of powered wheelchairs and motorized scooters, 2009.



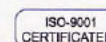
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## COMPARISON TABLE

ITEMS	PREDICATE DEVICE	SUBJECT DEVICE	Safety and effectiveness of subject device compared to the predicate device
Brand name	HEARTWAY		Same brand
Manufacturer	HEARTWAY Medical Products Co., Ltd.		Same manufacture
Series	Power Tilt Seating System power chair	Electrically Powered Wheelchair	Different design
Model	P16RT	P27	Different models
510K number	K070489	K142783	Different submissions
<b>Similarities</b>			
Intended use	<i>The device is intended for medical purposes to provide mobility to persons restricted to a sitting position.</i>	<i>The device is intended for medical purposes to provide mobility to persons restricted to a sitting position.</i>	Same intended use
Frame Type Material	Folded Carbon steel alloy	Folded Carbon steel alloy	Same material
Footplates	ABS	ABS	Same material
Back upholstery	Fabric	Fabric	Same material
Armrest types	Flip-backward	Flip-backward	Same type
Wheel Lock	Push-to-Lock	Push-to-Lock	Same type
Suspension	Cross brace	Cross brace	Same type





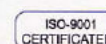
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<b>Seat tilting function</b>	Yes	Yes	Same function
<b>Patient contacting material</b>	Seat PVC material Hand grip PVC material Safety belt PVC material	Seat PVC material Hand grip PVC material Safety belt PVC material	Same material
<b>Electronic controller</b>	PG VR2 70 Amp	PG VR2 70 Amp	Same controller
<b>Anti-tipper</b>	Yes	Yes	Same function
<b>Biocompatibility</b>	ISO 10993-1 ISO 10993-5	ISO 10993-1 ISO 10993-5	Same biocompatibility
<b>Warranty</b>	<b>3 years:</b> Main frame <b>1 years:</b> Controller / gear motor / batteries w/o exhaustive and wear parts	<b>3 years:</b> Main frame <b>1 years:</b> Controller / gear motor / batteries w/o exhaustive and wear parts	Same warranty
<b>Differences</b>			
<b>Maximum speed</b>	9.6km/h( 6 mph)	6 km/h(3.75 mph)	Smaller speed
<b>Maximum user weight capacities</b>	500 lbs / 225 kg	265 lbs/120 kgs	Smaller weight
<b>Overall dimension</b>			
<b>Overall length</b>	1150 mm / 45"	1030 mm / 40.5"	Smaller Length
<b>Overall width</b>	660 mm / 26"	870-1420 mm /34.2"-55.9"	Larger width
<b>Overall height</b>	1170 mm / 46"	1250 mm / 49.2"	Larger height
<b>Batteries</b>			
<b>Quantity</b>	Two	Two	Same
<b>Type</b>	50Ah 12VDC	Same	Same type
<b>Range per charge</b>	35km / 21.8 miles	32km / 20 miles	Smaller range





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<b>Rear wheels</b>	2	2	Smaller rear tires
<b>Quantities</b>	14.0" * 3" x 2 (PU solid tire)	12.4" x 2.16" x 2 (Pneumatic tire)	
<b>Sizes/type</b>			
<b>Casters</b>	9.5" * 3" x 2 (PU solid tire)	7.48" x 1.77" x 2 (PU solid tire)	Smaller castors
<b>Seat size</b>			
<b>Width</b>	66 cm / 25.9"	46 cm / 18"	Smaller seat width
<b>Depth</b>	87 cm / 34.2"	47 cm / 18.5"	& depth
<b>Height</b>	41 cm / 16.1"	49-60cm / 19.3"-23.6"	Larger seat height
<b>Backrest reclining function</b>	No	Yes	Smaller incline angle
<b>Curb climbing</b>	65 mm/2.5"	50 mm/1.96"	Smaller curb
<b>Dynamic incline angle</b>	12 degrees	6 degrees	Smaller incline angle
<b>Ground clearance</b>	80 mm/3.15"	50 mm/1.96"	Smaller clearance
<b>Turning radius</b>	610mm/24"	730 mm/28.7"	Larger turning radius
<b>Motor</b>			
<b>Quantity</b>	2	2	Same
<b>Type</b>	24V, 500W	24V, 200W	Smaller power
<b>Wheelchair Weight</b>	w/ batteries 114kg / 251 lbs w/o batteries 84kgs / 185 lbs	w/ batteries 90 kgs / 198 lbs w/o batteries 60 kgs / 132 lbs	53 lbs frame difference
<b>Charger</b>	24VDC (UL 1310 )	24VDC (UL E201162)	Different UL –certified chargers



## **COMPARISON DISCUSSION**

For the maximum user weight capacity, wheelchair total weights, cruise range per charging and maximum speed, the subject device are smaller than the predicate device. The facts show the subject device is designed to perform in a lighter weight way than the predicate device. In order to function in a lighter weight design, rear wheels sizes and front castors sizes of the subject device can be smaller than those of the predicate device. To drive a lighter wheelchair with a slower maximum speed, the motor powers of the subject device can be smaller than those of the predicate device, based on the work-energy theorem. Since the motor powers and the maximum speed of the subject device are smaller than those of the predicate device, the cruise range is smaller according to the definition of work. These differences are only related to the designing aspects and not related to the safety and effectiveness aspects.

Owing to the smaller wheels and castors, the ground clearance and curb climbing of the subject device are smaller than those of the predicate device. As for the larger turning radius for the subject device, it is due to the larger overall width of the subject device. But the subject device passes the ISO 7176 series standards, the static and dynamic stabilities are all assured. Thus different radius and different widths do not raise any safety and effectiveness aspects. They are substantially equivalent.

The overall height and seat height of the subject device are larger than those of the predicate device. The subject device performs in a lighter weight design and has a backrest reclining function and a less maximum user weight capacity, the center of gravity of the subject device is higher than that of the predicate device. The fact results in smaller incline angle of the subject device 6 degrees, compared with 12 degrees of the predicate device. After all, two devices all pass the ISO 7176-2 standard; the dynamic stabilities of two devices are all assured. And this 6 degrees limitation is shown in the P27 user's manual for safety operation. There are no safety and effectiveness concerns. They are substantially equivalent with respect to these differences.

The battery chargers are different model but are the same 24 VDC type. Two chargers are UL-certified and there are no safety and effectiveness hazards. The difference does not raise any safety and effectiveness aspects concerned.



Despite of the above differences, the two devices all completed the performance tests in accordance with ISO 7176 series standards and the ANSI / RESNA WC 2, Section 21 for the EMC test. They function safely and effectively. There are no safety and effectiveness aspects concerned. Thus, the two devices are substantially equivalent.

## **CONCLUSIONS**

The subject device, HEARTWAY Electrically Powered Wheelchair, Model P27, is as safe and effective as, and functions in a manner equivalent to the K070489 predicate device, HEARTWAY *Power Tilt Seating System power chair* P16RT. The conclusions drawn from the non-clinical tests demonstrate that the device is as safe, as effective, and performs as well as the legally marketed device identified in the submission. Thus the subject device is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.